

## **Chapter 3 - Public Notice**

The Public Notice Statewide Basic Requirement (SBR) requires compliance with all applicable State and local public notice requirements.

### **WHAT IS REQUIRED?**

#### **Minimum Standard**

Highway Agencies shall comply with applicable State and local public notice requirements when providing for public participation in the development and implementation of the Highway Agency's stormwater program.

#### **Measurable Goal**

Highway Agencies shall certify annually that all applicable State and local public notice requirements were followed.

#### **Implementation Schedule**

Upon the effective date of permit authorization (EDPA).

### **WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?**

This SBR means that the Highway Agency must comply with any applicable State and local public notice requirements when a public involvement/participation program is being implemented in regard to the Highway Agency's stormwater program. The permit requires the Highway Agency to comply with requirements for public notice that are already in effect under law. An example would be the public notice requirements in the Open Public Meetings Act ("Sunshine Law," N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq.).